U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY POLLUTION REPORT

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(201) 548-8730 - Commercial and FTS 24 Hour Emergency

POLREP NO:

Four (4)

INCIDENT NAME:

Synkote Paints

SITE/SPILL NO:

E004F

POLLUTANT:

Solvents, Corrosives, Paint Waste

TO:

CLASSIFICATION:

Major

SOURCE:

Abandoned Paint Manufacturer

LOCATION:

Elmwood Park, New Jersey

AMOUNT:

250 Drums, approx. 14,000 gallons

WATER BODY:

None

Situation: 1.

See Polrep One (Revised).

2. Actions Taken:

- A. October 30, 1990, the Regional Administrator authorized additional funding for the site. The costs are outlined below.
- В. Between December 10, 1990 and December 12, 1990, ERCS mobilized to the site to transfer remaining hazardous debris to a roll-off. The activities consisted of removal of paint residue patches on the ground around the site, gathering PPE waste and removing debris from the interior of the empty drums on site.
- A representative sample of the hazardous debris in the roll-off was sent to ThermalKem, South Carolina, for disposal analysis.

D. The 275 empty drums were removed from the site by J.T.M. Drum Company, Sayerville, NJ, for recyling/reuse, at a cost of \$3.00 a drum.

3. Future Plans and Recommendations:

A. The roll-off will be transported to ThermalKem for disposal, once approvals are met.

4. <u>Cost Information</u>:

| | Original <u>Ceiling</u> | Current Ceiling | Cost To Date | Amount <u>Remaining</u> | Percent of Project <u>Ceiling</u> |
|---------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|---|
| Cleanup Contractor | 328,000 | 406,000 | 341,170* | 64,830 | 84.0 |
| TAT | 75,000 | 125,000 | 30,000 | 95,000 | 24.0 |
| EPA (HQ and Region) | 50,000 | 75,000 | 17,000 | 58,000 | 22.6 |
| Contingency Costs | 38,000 | 121,000 | • | | • |
| TOTALS | 544,000 | 727,000 | 388,170 | 217,830 | 53.3 |

^{*} The large difference in ERCS costs from Polrep 3 is due to the inclusion of subcontractor, disposal and analytical costs.

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| | | FURTHER POLREPS | | |
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